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Newsletter Deadline

Please have all newsletter submissions to Lion Christy Pope @ christypope22w@yahoo.com, no later than one week before the end of the previous month.

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"Lions Helping Others - A Celebration of Service"

From the Desk of District Governor Charles Croft



"Start with what is necessary. Then do what is possible. Then suddenly, you are doing the impossible." St. Francis

Greetings Lions and welcome to a new Lions' year. The above quote, attributed to St. Francis, provides us with an excellent reminder of what Lions can accomplish as they serve their communities. Our theme this year is, "Lions Helping Others – A Celebration of Service." Everything that we do starts with what is necessary. We do what is possible and when we finish our service we find that we have completed what we thought was impossible. This is where we are as we begin a new year. We have hope that this year will see us resuming normal club operations. We have faith that our members will be able to re-engage and that we can grow our clubs with new members. We are determined to move forward with our fundraisers and service projects many of which a short while ago were deemed impossible. Together, we can get the job done and, along the way, discover that what we thought impossible has become possible and successful once again. At the end of the day, let's be certain to celebrate what we have accomplished.

Our goals for this Lions' year revolve around the four major global priorities outlined by our new International President, Lion Douglas X. Alexander. The four global priorities include membership growth and engagement as detailed in the Global Membership Approach which is the worldwide successor of the North American Membership Initiative (NAMI), support of our Foundation, compassionate service and communication.

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On the district level, we are challenging our Lions to invite others to join with us in our service to our communities. By publically celebrating what we do in the way of service, we can entice others with a likeminded spirit to join with us in serving our communities. At the same time, we can provide our existing members that personal sense of satisfaction that comes from helping others and completing a goal as they participate in a club project. We are striving to reverse the recent steady decline in district membership by keeping our existing members engaged while recruiting new members with a goal of ending the fiscal year with a positive growth of at least ten members.

Our Lions Clubs International Foundation needs our continued financial support on both the club and individual member levels. Remember, donations to LCIF don't have to come solely from Lions Clubs as individual members may contribute as well. District LCIF Chair, PCC Brian Cox will be more than happy to discuss both personal and club options with you. We all know that the impact that COVID-19 on our club fundraising efforts is immeasurable, but, together, we can and will rebound in our effort to support our foundation. We sincerely hope that our clubs and our district will be able to resume their previous giving levels.

In the area of compassionate service, we look forward to clubs resuming their signature service projects and even create some new, simple standalone projects that will engage more of our members and perhaps even attract some new recruits. We hope to see Roar-Like-a-Lion return to all four regions over the winter and early spring months. Also, be watching for announcements about our Vice District Governors Service Challenges being created by First Vice District Governor Nadja and Second Vice District Governor Jeremy with the first one launched at the first cabinet meeting on August 14. Remember to report your service activities in MyLion. One of our goals is to increase the number of clubs reporting service via the MyLion platform. If you need any assistance in uploading your club activities please do not hesitate to call someone as there are plenty of Lions in the district who are available to assist you. You can even call me and I will walk you through the process. Remember, report and celebrate your service.

Communication – Be sure to keep your members fully engaged and informed with whatever internal club communication works best for your membership. Share your information with other clubs, cabinet members including Zone and Region Chairs and the district. Forward any information that you wish to share with the district to Lion Christy Pope of the Lineboro-Manchester Lions who is now our new district newsletter editor. Likewise, share your activity/fundraising flyers with Cabinet Secretary Susan Favorite if you want to publicize your events in the weekly update. Don't forget to submit articles to the local media to advertise your upcoming events and to celebrate your activities. Finally, communicate with Lions Clubs International by way of updating club membership changes through MyLCI and club activities through MyLion.

There is so much more to share with you but enough for now. I leave you with this quote from Edith Wharton (1862 – 1937), Pulitzer Prize winning, American novelist who said: "There are two ways of spreading light – to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it."

From the Desk of

First Vice District Governor Nadja Muchow



22 W Lions...

Thank you for trusting me with the important role of First Vice District Governor. It is an honor to represent district 22 W in Multiple District 22. I am extremely fortunate that I am surrounded by amazing Lions who demonstrate leadership, service, and compassion daily.

In addition to supporting District Governor Charlie and Second Vice District Governor Jeremy, I will be visiting each club and attending numerous service projects and fundraisers. I have decided to meet with the Region Chairs and Zone Chairs to prioritize the needs of the clubs and their communities. Furthermore, an invitation will be extended to Zone Chairs to attend club visits with me; while the Region Chairs join us as they feel necessary.

Membership will be addressed during club visitations. However, retention is of great interest to me which in turn impacts the ability to recruit new members. Discussions will focus around clubs' culture, clubs' feeling of family/inclusion, and clubs' recognition practices. Many of these factors can be ascertained from the visits themselves. Role playing (negative and positive) can also be a great way to engage members and allow them to determine where their club stands in the role play!

Service, as well as leadership, will not be forgotten. My style is very conversational and interactive. It is my sincere hope that every club and their members feel comfortable bringing their concerns and ideas forward. We might fill different roles, but we are all on the same team!

"Teamwork is the fuel that allows common people to attain uncommon results." -Andrew Carnegie

I look forward to a very exciting and fun year!!

Yours in Lionism,

Nadja M. Muchow First Vice District Governor District 22W

Telephone: 410-596-2917



From the Desk of Second Vice District Governor Jeremy Bair

Lions of 22-W,

In great excitement for the Promise of Tomorrow and in the spirit of togetherness, It is my pleasure to serve this upcoming year as Second Vice District Governor. I will be present on the front line with

many clubs from the very beginning. You may see some Greater Carroll Lions with me including my brother Lion Mike Bair and our father Lion Emerson Bair.

In order to support all clubs and their growth, I hope to be like the 2-headed Lion logo as I think about the next 40 years as a 3rd-generation lion reflecting on my family's Lion past. As Westminster Lions Club Charter President 80-years ago, I'm amazed that my grandfather, Scott Slaybaugh Bair Sr. and the Westminster Lions sponsored 7 additional clubs spreading good fellowship in the name of service from county line to county line. It is my belief all along, like our current great longtime lions, they dreamed of the promise of tomorrow for the community they helped shape, the promise of tomorrow for those receiving a hand up and the promise of tomorrow for Lions who would serve after them. Let us forever be mindful of the rich history of our clubs and that presence in the community is the most majestic quality of all. As children, my brother and I witnessed my father's interaction with his club members in the most humble instances of community giving. It gives me great inspiration each and every day in years to come as generational Lionism and youth in membership are two aspects I focus on.

In a district that used to be comprised of over 80 clubs, I believe in rekindling the local spirit of our communities to join together in solidarity to serve and believe that we will be able to make great strides in focusing on membership and leadership. So what does it mean that we in the next generations are here providing service? How do we spread the message of intrinsic reward in accomplishments of service? How do we adapt and modify those great Lion practices of the past to meet modern ways and causes? How do we network and inspire others to know they are needed in service? How do we bring in the best of our community to stand by our side? The challenge is in front of us as we prove in our presence, dialogues and actions what it means to be a Lion.

As Region IV Chair last year, it was my promise to work with club leaders on leadership and membership to strengthen clubs and provide opportunities for all clubs to succeed. I will bring new 22W videos focusing on club promotion, recognition and new membership that clubs can use on social media. Please let me know of any events or meetings where you wish me to be present. Start thinking of local high-traffic, community events to put tents and local activities where you can be a present force to show the best Lionly qualities. Set a pace of success!

Bless America and Happy 4th of July!

In Lionism.



Lion Jeremy Bair
Second Vice District Governor

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IN MEMORY OF

Westminster Lions Club



Janet Rosalie Miller, nee Bair, 91, of Westminster passed away, Thursday, June 3, 2021, at her home surrounded by her family. Born July 22, 1929, in Carroll County, MD, she was the daughter of the late Howard L. Bair, Sr. and Mamie B. Bair; beloved wife of the late Vernon S. Miller, who she married January 27, 1951; loving mother of Sherman Lee Miller and Susan L. Turfle and her husband Kenneth W.; devoted grandmother of five, Jonathan M. Green-whom she and her husband raised after his mothers' death on January 26, 1981, Ashley M. Badami, Amber N. Spindler, and twins Kenneth R. Turfle and Benjamin L. Turfle; cherished great grandmother of Sadie; and aunt to several nieces and nephews. She preceded in death by her daughter Conni J.M. Green, sisters Gladys Bair (infant), Helen Winters, Evelyn Haines, Julia Wagner, Beatrice Fleming, Carrie Fleming, Bette Fleming, and Aileen B. Barnhart; her brothers George N. Bair,

Howard L. Bair, Jr., Sterling M. Bair, and Melvin D. Bair, Sr. She was a graduate of Westminster High School, class of 1946 and immediately following high school went to work at the Westminster Shoe Factory office for 10 years, follow by she was a stay-at-home mom and would help her husband as a bookkeeper for Miller Electrical Service until her retirement in 1991. In her spare time, she enjoyed cooking, knitting, and taking care of her family and taking trips with her husband to Switzerland, Hawaii, England, Spain, Mexico, and Nassau. Special songs she enjoyed were In the Garden, Trust & Obey, and the Old Rugged Cross. She was formerly a member of Stone Chapel United Methodist Church and had been attending the Church of the Open Door. The visitation and funeral service will be family only and her interment will take place at Evergreen Memorial Gardens in Finksburg. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be offered in Mrs. Miller's name to Carroll Hospice, 292 Stoner Avenue, Westminster, MD 21157 or The Church of the Open Door, 550 Baltimore Boulevard, Westminster, MD 21157. Online condolences may be offered at www.myersdurborawfh.com. Arrangements by MYERS-DURBORAW FUNERAL HOME, P.A. of Westminster.

From the Desk of:

Lion Susan Bonura and The Fellowship Endowment Committee

Hello fellow Lions of MD-22,

The Fellowship Endowment Committee received the following message from Dr. Judy Goldstein, Chief of Lions Low Vision Rehabilitation Clinic at Wilmer. We wanted to share it with all Lions throughout the multiple district and remind you that as your clubs plan your budgets for the coming year, the endowment of our low vision fellow is a worthy cause. Individual contributions of all sizes also make a difference and are tax deductible. Enjoy the letter below and thanks for all you do.

The Fellowship Endowment Committee -

Susan Bonura, Wayne Cole, John Shwed, John Feldmann, Larry Burton

(P.S. The address for sending donation checks to LVRF is PO Box 1714, Baltimore, MD 21203 or you can send your donation directly to the LVRF Treasurer, Paul Leatherman, 18812 Preston Road, Hagerstown, MD 21742.)

Dear Lions,

As Wilmer's fiscal year comes to a close, I remain eternally grateful for your support of our work. Our fellow, whom you have helped to educate through your fundraising and support, will depart in the coming weeks. She will take her knowledge and continue to support the low vision community. Please accept my sincere thanks for all you do to make this fellowship position possible. I hope you enjoy this letter from Dr. Hang Nguyen, our 2020-2021 fellow.

Sincerely,

Dr. Judith Goldstein

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Lions Low Vision Clinic Hang Nguyen, OD 2020-2021 Lions Low Vision Fellow 727 Maumenee Building 600 North Wolfe Street Baltimore, MD 21287-9278

June 22, 2021

Dear Lions of MD-22,

I am sending my sincere thanks to you for your investment in my education and training to become a low vision rehabilitation specialist. In a year when so much has been changed, I can only imagine the work it has taken to make this fellowship, my education, possible. Please know that I think about your hard work every day, with every patient I see. It brings me so much joy knowing that I have been able to make a small impact in the lives of our patients. I hope you know the impact you are making on them too. The quality of life for the patients we see gets better with every visit. That is because of your investment in me and this fellowship.

After my experiences in optometry school, I developed a passion for those with low vision during my short low vision rehabilitation rotation. Being able to help increase the quality of life in low vision patients spoke volumes to me and I wanted to continue helping them.

I was elated to have been offered this opportunity at the Wilmer Eye Institute, Johns Hopkins Medicine. I started my fellowship in the midst of the pandemic, not fully understanding what that might mean for my experience. It has been unique and something I know I'll look back on fondly, sharing stories with my colleagues in the years to come. My colleagues, the patients, and the entire experience made this fellowship worth every second.

What the pandemic could not do, was take away my ability to work alongside the most talented clinicians and researchers in the field. Being immersed in this combined clinical-research environment brings forth innovative and quality care to all the patients. Countless times I have





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observed and have been reminded by my attendings and research supervisor to apply what I have learned into my clinical care, which I must say, has made me into a better clinician for all of my patients. Working closely alongside my attendings, Dr. Goldstein and Dr. Chun, was a blessing and a constant reminder of what it means to be a low vision specialist and advocate for all of our patients.

One of the most important components of my time at Wilmer, has been the focus on research. I could not have asked for a better research supervisor, Dr. Massof. Dr. Massof's wisdom and guidance has been so instrumental to my experience that I am happy to report I presented my research topic at the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) in May 2021.

It is getting more difficult to say goodbye as I move towards the end of my fellowship, but I am excited to continue practicing in the field of low vision. I am looking forward to interacting with more patients, improving patient quality of life, and advocating for the low vision community as best as I can.

I am grateful for my time at the Lions Low Vision Clinic. Thank you for the privilege of learning in this great Institute. It has been my pleasure to serve the patients and to honor the service of the Lions. Thank you for your support and Lions, you will always have my support.

Most Sincerely,

Hang Nguyen, OD 2020-2021 Lions Low Vision Fellow Wilmer Eye Institute Johns Hopkins University, School of Medicine



From the Desk of:

From The Desk of IPDG Barbara Brimigion

How Loud Is Too Loud?

Submitted by IPDG Barb Brimigion



Download the **Listen Carefully** app for iPhone or Android. Use the hearing screener to quickly



evaluate your hearing and determine if it's within a normal range or if you might have a hearing loss. The sound meter allows you to measure noise levels wherever you are.

Source: Starkey Foundation

Lion Martin Bonura, District 22-W Global Membership Team Coordinator:



The Heart of Lionism

Lions Club members are the heart of Lionism. You are the heart of your club and are part of the new Global Membership Approach that follows-up on last year's North America Membership Initiative. As Global Membership Team Coordinator for 2021-2020, I will work with each of our clubs as we revitalize and remotivate.

The objectives of the Global Membership Approach are to 1) rejuvenate districts with new clubs, 2) revitalize clubs with new members, 3) remotivate members with new fellowship opportunities and exciting service, 4) provide training and support to our Lion leaders and 5) finish each year with a positive membership net growth.

In 2022 we will be celebrating the 100th anniversary of Multiple District 22 and the original clubs that initiate Lions Clubs in western Maryland. This is a great time to market our organization, enhance service, and remotivate our members.

Please consider how you can help. I can be reached at join22Wlions@gmail.com.

Submitted by Lion Martin Bonura, District 22-W Global Membership Team Coordinator

From the Desk of:

Lion Martin Bonura, District Lions Quest Chair

Lions Quest

Social and emotional skills in young people provide the foundation for them to deal with anger and frustration, it helps prevent negative behaviors, and allows them to develop positive school behaviors that increases academic performance. Lions can help through a Lions Clubs International Foundation program called Lions Quest. Lions Quest is a preK-12 Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) program that teaches social and emotional skills just as you would academic skills.

This program will help young people become better students, better decision makers,

and better citizens, while providing the clubs of District 22-W with more visibility in their communities.

Our Lions in the counties of Carroll, Frederick, Washington, Allegany, and Garrett can help the youth of their counties by identifying schools or youth programs that can benefit from an SEL program. Lions Quest is an established program to provide character education, drug and bullying prevention, and service-learning through comprehensive lesson plans that educators use in the classroom.

Please let Lion Martin Bonura at lionsbonura@gmail.com know about potential schools or youth programs.

Submitted by Lion Martin Bonura, District Lions Quest Chair

AROUND THE DISTRICT





Lion William Strauss, 97 years old with 48 years of service, from the Libertytown- Unionville Lions Club attended Secretary training and Lion E. Lynwood Browning, 97 years old with 39 years of service, New Market District Lions Club attending Membership Training.

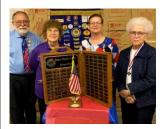
Second Vice District Governor Jeremy Bair and District Governor Charles Croft Jr., extent their gratitude for being great examples of Lions willing to learn.

Deer Park Lions Club



Deer Park Lions Club - May 28, 2021: Seen there, the Deer Park Lions had an opportunity to catch up at the 20th Annual Zone 3 Golf Tournament in Honor of Past International Director Richard Liebno at Oakmont Greens. The Multi-club events it held to benefit Diabetes Awareness and Action, Hearing Preservation Awareness and Action and LVRF.

South Carroll Lioness Lions Club



Lion Mary Hartmann (far right) was honored by District Governor Barbara Brimigion (second from left) with the District 22W Honor Roll Award at the June 3rd meeting of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club held in the shop of President Martin Bonura (far left) in Finksburg. He nominated Hartmann based upon the criteria for the award which recognizes Lions who have rendered outstanding service to their clubs and their communities at the "grass roots" level over an extended period of time, who exemplify the spirit of Lionism through their unselfish dedication and who are deserving of District-wide recognition for their efforts in support of Lionism. Also pictured is PDG

Susan Bonura, incoming club president. The club has been meeting in the Bonura's shop since the Covid-19 pandemic closed the doors of Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall where the club had been meeting for many years.

District Governor Barbara Brimigion installed the officers of the South Carroll Lioness Lions Club on June 3 at the club's annual installation of officers meeting held in the shop of President Martin Bonura in Finksburg. Seated (left to right) are Carol Gabbard, Membership Committee; PDG Susan Bonura, President; Richard Jennings, Membership Committee; Judy Flynn, Director; Linda Kafchinski, Tail Twister; (standing left to right) DG Barbara Brimigion; MK Bunting, Membership Committee Co-Chair; Linda Smith, Director; Barbara



Drought, Treasurer; Pauline Fredritz, Director; and, Martin Bonura, Secretary and Service Chair. Not pictured are Ellen O'Malley, First Vice President and Membership Committee Co-Chair; Terri Parkent, Second Vice President; Kay Field, Lion Tamer; and Paula Justice, Director. The club has been meeting in the Bonura's shop since the Covid-19 pandemic closed the doors of Messiah Lutheran Church's Celebration Hall where the club had been meeting for many years.

Funkstown Lions Club



Funkstown Lions Club - June 2, 2021: Chartered in 1957, the Funkstown Lions served their local community for 64 years. A job well done in all their years of service to their local community. At their last meeting, they made substantial donations to the scholarship funds at St Paul's Lutheran Church and the local fire department.

Freedom District Lions Club

The Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) held a membership business meeting on June 9, 2021 in Legacy Hall, Sykesville Freedom District Fire Department. FDLC President Lion Myron Horn called the meeting to order at 6:59 pm and welcomed the Lions and guests. Club Program Chairman, Lion Bob Hodgkiss introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Christina McGann, a registered nurse from Carroll Hospital. McGann discussed heart health and strokes. She reminded attendees of the need to eat right; exercise; and monitor your blood pressure. She explained the different signs of a possible heart attack and stroke. She stressed the importance of getting immediate medical help if you have symptoms that might indicate a heart attack or stroke. A person should call 911 so they can get immediate medical help from the emergency medical technicians in the ambulance on the way to the hospital rather than going by private vehicle. The FDLC Chairperson for Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF), Lion Ann Kramb recognized Lion Jim Lauber with a Melvin Jones Fellow plaque for his generous personal donation of \$1,000 to LCIF. The service club also presented a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow (PMJF) diamond pin to Lion Gary Buchman in recognition of his service to the FDLC.



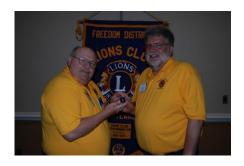




Photo #1 - Following her presentation to the Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) members and guests at their June 9th membership business meeting, nurse Christina McGann pauses to have her picture taken with FDLC President Myron Horn (left) and FDLC Program Chairman Bob Hodgkiss (right).

Photo #2 - Freedom District Lions Club President Myron Horn (left) presents a progressive Melvin Jones Fellow diamond pin to Lion Gary Buchman in recognition of his service to the club during their June 9, 2021 membership business meeting.

Photo #3 - Lion Jim Lauber shows his Melvin Jones Fellow plaque to the members. It was presented to him at the June 9, 2021 meeting of the Freedom District Lions Club.

Freedom District Lions Club

The Freedom District Lions Club made a delivery of new toys and games to the Pediatric Cancer Center, Sinai Hospital on June 25, 2021. The service club's Childhood Cancer Committee purchases toys, games and stuffed animals and donates them quarterly for children undergoing outpatient cancer treatment at the medical facility. Since the children have compromised immune systems, each child takes home the toy they play with at the clinic rather than leaving the toys for others to play with while at the hospital. Kelly Beck, Child Life Specialist at Sinai Hospital said they really appreciate this donation since their supply of toys is very low and donations are always down during summer months.



The Freedom District Lions Club (FDLC) donated a large amount of toys to the pediatric outpatient clinic at Sinai Hospital on June 25, 2021. Pictured above (left – right) are: Lauren Ammons from Sinai Hospital; District Governor Lion Barbara Brimigion (also a member of the FDLC Childhood Cancer Committee); Kelly Beck, Child Life Specialist at Sinai Hospital; Lion Viki Peltier, Chairperson of the FDLC Childhood Cancer Committee; Lea Failla from Sinai Hospital; FDLC Lions Don Champ and Jim Lauber. Absent from the picture is FDLC Lion Ann Kramb who took the photo.

Freedom District Lions Club

As they have done since the inception of the Sykesville Freedom District Fire Department carnival many years ago, the Freedom District Lions Club sold their delicious hand-cut French fries from their stand on the carnival grounds. This year's carnival ran from Saturday, June 12th through Saturday, June 19th – the first Carroll County fire department carnival since the pandemic began. The service club also has an information table next to the French fry stand to share information about Lions service and invite interested community members to become Lions. All Lions in the club are invited to participate either in the stand or at the information table and work schedules are established for each activity. The Century High and Liberty High Leo clubs also schedule 2 Leo members each to work every night in the French fry stand to assist their sponsoring Lions club. French Fry Chairman Lion Mark Krebs reported that this year we set a record with 51 (50 lb. bags) bags of potatoes cut, fried and sold for a net profit of \$8,886.33.











1st photo – The first 2 customers for French fries are pictured at the front left of the Freedom District Lions Club French Fry Stand on June 12, 2021.

2nd photo - Lion Jerry Apicella checks 2 trays of French fries to see if they are ready to serve.

3rd photo - Lion Sheila Bowman prepares a tray of French fries for a customer while a Leo prepares to serve them to the waiting customer on June 12, 2021.

4th photo – Lion Gary Peltier (left), District Governor Lion Barbara Brimigion (center) and Lion Viki Peltier (right) man the Freedom District Lions Club Information Table on June 12, 2021.

5th photo – Who could say "NO" to these 4 sales people (Leo Club members)? Each of the 8 nights of the Sykesville Freedom District Fire Department carnival, 4 Leos could be found in the Freedom District Lions Club French Fry Stand taking orders and serving French fries. They look forward to it every year and the Lions greatly appreciate their capable assistance

Libertytown Lions Club



Libertytown Unionville Lions Club - June 16, 2021: The Libertytown Unionville Lions set up their food truck in New Market at the Meadows selling pizza, funnel cake and other summer favorites!

Frederick Lions Club



Frederick Lions Club - June 17, 2021: Outgoing Frederick Lion President Buzz Ireland passes the gavel to incoming Frederick Lion President Dick Basford in front of District Governor Barb Brimigion, the Frederick Lions and their guests.

Valley Lions Club



Valley Lions Club - June 18, 2021: The Valley Lions Club held their 30th Annual Golf Tournament at Quail Valley Golf Course. The event drew 54 golfers and a great time was had by all.

Summer weather has begun!

Hancock Lions Club



The Hancock Lions Club - June 19, 2021: The Hancock Lions held a shred event teaming with their local bank and community.

Multiple Region 4 Clubs



Multiple Region 4 Clubs gathered on June 24 for the 2021 Progressive Jackpot Raffle. Clubs worked together to raise over \$3500 for Lionly causes. (Standing: Drum attendees Greater Carroll's Irv Bohr, Emerson Bair, Larry Dietz, Chuck Ruppert and SVDG Jeremy Bair. Seated: Raffle Ticket drawers Deer Park's Ron Kafchinski, Roaring Run's Tim Ganske, Westminster's Wendy Beares, New Windsor's Fred Graham, Union Bridge's Charlene Johns and Hampstead's Michael Thomas.

DISTRICT – CALENDAR OF EVENTS

If you are interested in an event listed below please contact a member of that club for more information.

DATE	CLUB	WHAT	WHERE	TIME
7/8	Sharpsburg	Civil War Program	Jacob Rohrbach Inn	7:00 pm
7/9	Grantsville	Model T Club – Chicken/Kettle Corn		
7/10	Greater Carroll	Drive Thru Crab Sales	Westminster V.F.W.	12-2 pm
7/24	District 22-W	CHANGE OF BANNER	Myersville VFD Social Hall	6:00 pm
8/13	New Windsor	Golf Tournament	Quail Valley	8:30 am
8/20	Libertytown Unionville	Golf Tournament	Glade Valley	7:30 am - ?
8/21	Greater Carroll	Drive Thru Crab Sales	Westminster V.F.W.	12-2 pm
8/26	Westminster	Steak, Sausage & Corn on the Cob	Westminster V.F.W.	6-8 pm
9/4	Westminster	All Money BINGO	Reese Fire Hall	5:30 pm
9/8	Myersville-Middletown	18th Annual Golf Tournament	Musket Ridge Golf Club	1:00 pm
9/24	Freedom District	8th Annual Fall Golf Tournament	Oakmont Green	Noon
10/9	Greater Carroll	Drive Thru Crab Sales	Westminster V.F.W.	12-2 pm
11/13	New Windsor	Queen Ester	Sight & Sound Theater	10:00 am – 7:45 pm

Greater Carroll Lions Club Crob Salos

Drive Thru Crab Sales

Where: Westminster V.F.W. on Poole Road

Saturday	Saturday	Saturday
July 10th	August 21st	October 9th
12-2pm	12-2pm	12-2pm
Presales Only:	Presales Only:	Presales Only:
May 1st-July 5th	July 11th-August 16th	August 22-Oct. 4th

Text 410-596-2917 - Prepared by Harris Crabs (#1s)

1 Dozen of Crabs	\$50.00
1/2 Bushel of Crabs	\$115.00
1 Bushel of Crabs	\$225.00

50/50 Money Raffle Also

*All profits benefit Lions Charities

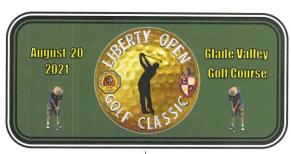












Details

Where:

10502 Glade Road Walkersville, MD, 21793

When:

Friday, August 20, 2021

T1....

7:30 AM Registration 8:30 AM Shotgun Start

Format:

Four Person Captain's Choice

Cost:

\$85 per golfer

Prizes

1st, 2nd and 3nd Place Teams \$250 Shoot Out closest-to-pin on all par 3 holes \$10,000 Hole-in-one prize Longest Drive

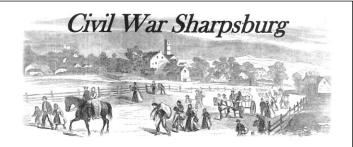
Entry Includes

Golf, Gift, Door Prize Ticket Coffee & Donuts Buffet Lunch After Play

On Sale

Mulligans & Power Balls 50/50 tickets





The Sharpsburg Lions Club and the Sharpsburg Historical Society will be hosting this program on

Thursday, July 8

Antietam Battlefield Guides, Rev. John Schildt and Chris Vincent will present <u>Civil War Sharpsburg</u>.

The presentation will discuss some of the people, places and events of Sharpsburg during the Civil War.

The outdoor program will start at 7:00pm and be held on the grounds of the Jacob Rohrbach Inn at

138 W. Main Street, Sharpsburg

In case of inclement weather the program will be moved to St. Paul's Episcopal Church

For more information email sharpsburglions@gmail.com

DISTRICT 22W CHANGE OF BANNER BANQUET

Saturday, July 24, 2021 Myersville VFD Social Hall 301 Main Street, Myersville MD 21773

> 6:00 p.m. Social 6:30 p.m. Dinner

Join us for a wonderful celebration as Immediate Past District Governor, Barb Brimigion, presents awards to Lions and clubs.

We will also exchange the district banner from the Freedom District Lions Club to the LaVale Lions Club, home club of District Governor Charles Croft.

We haven't been able to see each other in person for a long time so let us get together and enjoy each other's company.

SOCIAL cheese, crackers, chips, pretzels, dip and punch

MENU

Roast pork, roast chicken, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, garden salad, rolls, butter, coffee, iced tea, dessert

COST \$18.50 per person

RSVP No later Than July 14, 2021

Please fill in the information below and return, along with your check payable to Freedom Districtions Club and mail to: Lion Viki Peltier, 3998 Benrose Lane, Sykesville MD 21784	t
Your Name and Contact Information	
Club Name	
Number Attending	
Names of members	